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(Staff photos by JOHN FRESI)

Nature study — Above, Deana Browne of Caseyville, a volunteer at Treehouse Wildlife Center, tells visitors at the center's open house how Albert, a great horned owl, ended up at the shelter. He was raised by people as a pet, but was not fed correctly and developed rickets. Now he cannot be released because he cannot fly. Below, Browne shows Albert to Stacy McIver, Falena McIver, Bethany Musson and Nicole McIver, all of Hazelwood. Story, more photos on Page 6.



Granite, Pontoon may battle in court

2 municipalities annex same property

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

The annexation of property already annexed by another municipality has set the stage for a potential legal battle between the Pontoon Beach Village Board, Granite City Council and the Long Lake Fire Protection District.

At Tuesday's meeting, the Pontoon board unanimously approved annexing approximately 20 acres — including the Lakeview Driving Range and Batting Cages, 3519 Illinois 162, and Lindsay Construction Co., 3308 Illinois 162 — just east of the railroad tracks on Illinois 162.

The property had been annexed by Granite City during a special meeting on Monday.

Pontoon officials said they were going ahead with their plans, and said they might take the issue to court.

At Tuesday's meeting, Trustee Mike Macek also criticized the Granite City council for not allowing himself and Marvin Ribbing, president of the Long Lake Fire Protection District, to speak in opposition.

Both attended the special council meeting Monday, but neither had obtained permission to speak under the conditions of the city's decorum ordinance.

Macek said that would have been impractical, because the deadline to notify the council was Thursday, and the actual meeting

"I guess one lesson I've learned from this is whenever we do anything like that again, we're going to have to get downright dirty like they did."

— Mike Macek
Pontoon trustee

notice was not published until Sunday.

Macek said he could understand why he was not allowed to speak because he arrived late to the meeting.

He also noted that the reason was because of a train blocking Illinois 162, and said he also wondered how Granite City would be able to provide adequate police and fire service to the annexed area because of frequent trains.

The area had been served by Madison County Sheriff's Department and the Long Lake Fire Protection District.

"Our committee tried to do everything legal and proper," Macek said. "I really find the whole situation unbelievable."

"I guess one lesson I've learned from this is (See BATTLE, Page 9A)

7 take out city petitions

Wednesday was the first day to take out petitions for the April 1 general elections. Petitions may be filed from Jan. 13 through Jan. 21.

In Granite City, voters will elect a mayor, clerk, treasurer and eight aldermen. Seven candidates had taken out petitions by 5 p.m. Wednesday.

Taking petitions were incumbents: Mayor Ron Selph, City Clerk Judy Whitaker, 2nd Ward Alderman Craig Tarpoff and 4th Ward Alderman Foster "Freddie" Frederick; and Larry Blackwell, of the 2700 block of Roosevelt, for 5th Ward alderman; Larry Rudder, of Briarwood Lane, for 4th Ward alderman; and Larry Severs, of the 3000 block of Willow Ave-

nue, for mayor.

One person has taken out a petition in Pontoon Beach, where three village trustee seats are up — those now held by Mike Macek, Bob Vincent and Bob Abel.

According to the village clerk's office, Linda McFarland, a former member of the village's library board, took out a petition Wednesday morning for village trustee.

Village officials said she did not say who she was picking up the petition for, or the party affiliation.

Madison voters will choose a new mayor, city clerk and four aldermen.

Incumbent Mayor John Belfco said he will (See FILING, Page 9A)

Rising to the top

Squires named GC Steel general manager

By Bob Slaté
Staff writer

Forty years ago, as a recent graduate of Granite City High School, Jim Squires did what many others had done before and have done since — he went to work at Granite City Steel.

Last week, Squires reached a goal that no other Granite City native has ever attained — he was named vice president of National Steel and general manager at the Granite City Division.

He is the first Granite City

native to become Granite City Steel's top executive.

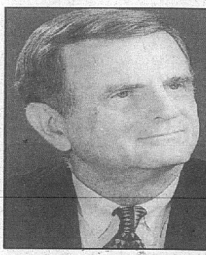
"I think it's pretty exciting and I'm proud to be the first Granite City guy since 1878 to hold the chief position here," Squires said Friday after the announcement was made official by the National Steel board of directors. "It sends a message to local kids that there is an opportunity for them."

Squires was named acting general manager two months ago when John Maczuzak, then G.M. at Granite City Steel, was promoted to executive

vice president and acting chief operating officer for National Steel.

The position was not simply handed over to Squires. He obtained the title the old fashioned way — he earned it. Squires began his career at Granite City Steel in 1956 as a laborer in the ironmaking department. He held a number of positions in the hourly ranks as he attended night school at Washington University for six and a half years to obtain a degree.

Since entering management, Squires' assignments have



included a wide variety of increasingly responsible positions such as general (See SQUIRES, Page 9A)

Pay hikes for officials OK'd

By Bob Slaté
Staff writer

The street superintendent in Granite City is getting a raise — eventually.

The City Council on Tuesday approved salary increases for the city clerk, treasurer and street superintendent positions. All three elected posts will pay \$40,000 annually.

Because state law prohibits changing the compensation for an elected official during the current term, the raises will become effective next May for the clerk and treasurer but not until May 1999 for the street superintendent.

The clerk and treasurer positions last received raises in 1991, bringing the salary for those two offices to \$37,000.

The last time the pay for the street superintendent was increased was in 1987, when the salary became \$35,000 a year.

Earlier this year, Alderman Eddie Asadorian proposed raises for all elected city officials — including the mayor and the 14 aldermen, as well as more substantial increases for the clerk, treasurer and street superintendent.

But the proposal to hike the mayor's salary did when current Mayor Ron Selph vowed to veto any plan that included a raise for the position. The aldermen declined to give themselves a raise.

The council's Finance Committee met last week to discuss Asadorian's plan and trimmed his proposal to bring the increases more in line with the rate of inflation.

In other action Tuesday, the council received two plaques from the Granite City Centennial Committee in recognition of its participation and support of the Centennial Celebration; voted to cancel its regularly (See HIKES, Page 9A)

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John Fuller, Chief Meteorologist, KSDK-News Channel 5

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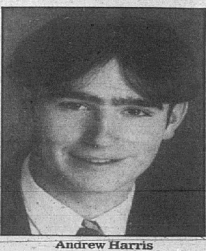
Top Teen

Andrew M. Harris is this week's *Granite City Press-Record* Top Teen. Harris, a senior at Granite City High School, is a member of National Honor Society, Quill and Scroll, the yearbook staff and Photography Club.

He is also an ALPHA Peer Leader and vice president of Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Last year he was first runner up Mr. Lake Williamson. He was selected to participate in the Bellevue Area Youth Salute.

He is on the youth council at First Assembly of God Church. He plans to attend college and to live a life pleasing to God.



Andrew Harris

Set back clocks

It is time to set your clocks back an hour and gain an extra hour of sleep. Daylight-saving time ends at 2 a.m. this Sunday. Our advice is to change your clocks when you go to bed Saturday night. If bedtime is midnight, set the clock for 11 p.m. Remember the saying: Spring forward, fall



back. This is a good time to also check your smoke detector batteries.

USWA, National still disagree

Arbitrator to rule on salaries

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

An arbitrator will apparently decide the future compensation of steelworkers at National Steel, including Granite City Steel.

Attorneys for the United Steelworkers of America and for National Steel have submitted briefs to the arbitrator, who is expected to issue a ruling by the end of the month.

At issue in the negotiations are wages for employees, guaranteed bonuses, continuation of the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday and continued gainsharing by employees in company profits.

National Steel Corp. and the USWA signed a six-year contract three years ago

that contained a provision for a reopening in three years.

The union has asked for continued gainsharing commitments made in the negotiations three years ago, but the company reportedly wants to withdraw the program.

On wages, the union is asking for increases of 50 cents an hour in the first year and 25 cents an hour in the final two years.

It is also seeking guaranteed bonus payments of \$2,000.

The company has proposed smaller increases.

The company has also asked for employee co-payments on health insurance claims. The union has rejected that request.

The company had sought, but later withdrew, a "new work system" program that would have given it more flexibility in assigning jobs, effectively eliminating the seniority system.

Union officials said the employee requests are in line with concessions granted to USWA members at other steel companies.

Company officials declined to comment.

The arbitration is not a "winner-take-all" process in which the arbitrator must choose between company and union proposals. He may instead choose parts of either package or reject them both and implement his own programs.

News in review

News in review provides a summary of some of the past week's stories. This column is designed for out-of-town readers who do not receive the Sunday and Wednesday Press-Record/Journals.

Madison wants off list

A petition to the Illinois State Board of Education to remove the Madison School District from the state's certified watch list was approved by the school board Thursday.

Superintendent Gary Allison told the board that the district had fulfilled all the requirements to be taken off the list, and that members should be "very proud" of that accomplishment.

In September the board approved a balanced budget for the 1996-1997 school year. According to the budget, the district should have an ending balance of about \$600,000 in all funds at the end of the year.

Democrats seek reversal

The future of the entire nation could rest squarely on the shoulders of Madison County voters, Democrats say. While that assertion may be a slight stretch, it was the message hammered home at the annual John F. Kennedy Champaign Dinner, hosted by the Madison County Democratic Party at the Gateway Convention Center in Collinsville Thursday night.

"The Madison County Democratic Party has led this state time and time again," said U.S. Rep. Dick Durbin.

Tax delay sought

Gateway International Raceway and Madison city officials plan to meet in the next few weeks to negotiate on several issues in the development of the raceway, including an entertainment tax.

Much of the discussion at a meeting of the city's Finance and Tax Increment Financing committees Friday centered on a proposed entertainment tax.

If approved by the full council, such a tax would probably take the form of a \$1 surcharge per ticket, city officials said. Proceeds from the tax would go into the city's general fund, which pays for most of the city's day-to-day expenses.

Annexation worries county

Annexation of the Chain of Rocks landfill on Chouteau Island by the City of Madison worries county officials, but there is apparently little they can do about it.

Madison annexed about 700 acres, including the landfill owned by Waste Management Inc. and the Chain of Rocks Bridge. The area formerly was unincorporated county land.

The annexation means that Madison, not the county, will have jurisdiction over approving any future expansion of the landfill prior to review by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.

Pontoon facing deadline

The village of Pontoon Beach has been given a slight reprieve over flood plain violations, but must come up with a plan to deal with existing violations in the very near future or face expulsion from the National Flood Insurance Program.

City recycling program expands

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Waste Management has expanded its recycling program in Granite City.

Effective immediately, the company — which picks up garbage and recyclables for all Granite City residents — will add a number of paper products to the list of recyclable materials it collects in the city.

Residents may now place junk mail, telephone books, catalogs, magazines, cardboard and dry food boxes in their blue recycling bins along with newspapers.

Newspaper had been the only paper product Waste Management had accepted for recycling the past two months.

The company agreed to expand its list of recyclable materials at the urging of Mayor Ron Selph.

"I think this is a great step forward for the recycling program," Selph said.

Waste Management will continue to pick up plastic soda, milk and detergent containers; aluminum, steel and tin cans; and clear, green and brown glass containers.

Residents should place their recycling bin next to their trash container on pickup days. Non-recyclable items placed in the recycling bin will be left in the bin for residents to handle as waste.

Residents who have not yet received a recycling bin should call Waste Management at 452-0148 or the city at 452-6220.

As of Sept. 1, Waste Management took over direct billing of city residents for garbage and recycling services. The first quarterly bill of \$22.02 has been sent to each residence and becomes past due Nov. 6. That bill covers garbage collection and recycling services for September through November.

Those age 62 or older receive a discount of 25 cents a month (75 cents each billing period) for garbage collection service.

Waste Management also offers a yard waste collection service at an additional charge. Stickers, which should be placed on each bag containing grass clippings, leaves or bundled, dry tree limbs, may be purchased for \$1.25 each. Stickers can be obtained by calling 452-0148 or in person at 300 North Illinois 203 in Madison. There is a 25-cent discount for seniors.

Madison man charged with sexual assault

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

A Madison man was charged with two counts of aggravated criminal sexual assault in the alleged rape of a 26-year-old Venice woman early Saturday morning.

David F. Brown, 32, of the 1700 block of Elizabeth, Madison, was charged Monday.

Brown, who was taken into custody by Madison police a few hours after the alleged incident occurred, is in custody at the Madison County Jail with bond set at \$250,000.

According to police reports, at about 4:30 a.m. Saturday, police were sent to the Garasche Homes housing project to talk with the victim of a sexual assault.

The victim said she was with friends in Madison residence at about 2 a.m. when Brown allegedly asked her to go for a ride.

She said they left the residence and went to a "secluded" area in Venice, later determined to be in the 100 block of

Weber Street.

Brown allegedly forced the victim to take off her clothes and perform oral sex, and then fought with and choked her after she attempted to attract attention by blowing the horn.

He then allegedly forced her to have sex with him.

Later, the victim said he drove through Venice and Madison to the Eagle Park Acres area, but became "paranoid" when he saw a police car and drove back to Venice.

While driving through Garasche Homes she was able to unlock the door and jump out of the car, then fled nude to the nearest apartment, where she was able to call police.

Venice police notified the Madison police department, who went to Brown's home where he was arrested without incident. The victim later made a positive identification of Brown.

The victim was treated at St. Elizabeth's Medical Center in Granite City for bite and scratch marks.

BAC honor society to induct 25

Alpha Kappa Rho, Belleville Area College's Granite City Campus chapter of Phi Theta Kappa international honor society for two-year colleges, will initiate 25 new members at an induction ceremony Nov. 1.

The ceremony, open to the public, will be held in the Granite City Township Hall, 2600 Delmar Ave. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. and the ceremony will begin at 8 p.m.

Adam Peck, manager of the college center, will speak on the topic, "The Arts: A Landscape for our Times."

Admission to the ceremony is free. Dinner tickets cost \$7.50.

Auxiliary officer shot at range

A 24-year-old auxiliary Granite City police officer who was accidentally shot in the abdomen at the city's firing range Monday was hospitalized but recovering well Wednesday.

According to Granite City Police Chief Dave Ruebhausen, a full-time officer accidentally shot the auxiliary officer in the lower abdomen from a distance of about four feet at 12:03 p.m. Monday.

"It is under investigation, but all indications are it was an accident," Ruebhausen said.

The shooting occurred during the department's semi-annual firearm qualification testing.

The shooting victim underwent surgery Monday night and was in the critical care unit at a local hospital Wednesday.

He was expected to be moved from CCU Thursday, Ruebhausen said.

Bottle show set

The Metro East Bottle and Jar Association will hold its 25th annual show from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 3, at the Gateway Convention Center in Collinsville, at Illinois 157 and Interstate 55/70. Dealers from several states will be offering old bottles, insulators, fruit jars, advertising, stoneware, sodas, inks, milks, etc.

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United Way passes halfway point

The Tri-Cities Area United Way is more than halfway to its 1996 campaign goal of \$1.1 million, it was announced last week.

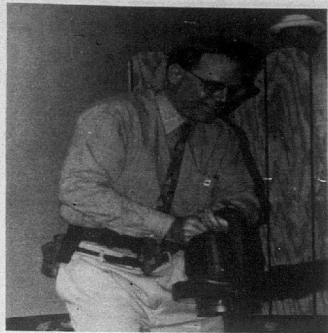
Campaign chairman Dennis Orsey made the announcement at the United Way's mid-campaign report meeting Thursday morning at Niedringhaus United Methodist Church.

Members of local labor unions cooked and served breakfast to 125 campaign volunteers in attendance. Steelworkers, carpenters, and chemical workers volunteered in the kitchen to demonstrate labor's involvement in the United Way.

The campaign's theme is "Paint a Brighter Tomorrow." Taking the slogan literally, Orsey played Tim the Tool-Man in a skit based on the hit television series "Home Improvement." He upgraded a leaf blower to a super, turbo-powered paint machine to "paint the community."

Dan Brown played Tim's helper, Al, and Ginny Lepping played Tim's wife, Barb DuVall.

The five are volunteer team leaders in the



Dennis Orsey blows make believe paint with his super-charged turbo paint machine.



Tri-City Area United Way campaign officials performed a skit based on the "Home Improvement" television series at last week's mid-campaign report meeting. Pictured from left are Chairman Dennis Orsey, Barb DuVall, Ginny Lepping, Al Hudzik and Dan Brown.

The goal of \$1.1 million is the highest ever for the local United Way, which provides financial support to more than 60 community-based health and human service programs.

Orsey announced that 52 percent of the goal had been achieved. The campaign will continue until Nov. 21.

The Granite City Steel Torch Club was a major contributor, with a \$289,150 pledge. All of the company's labor locals and the salaried work force were recognized for the

record-setting contribution.

Other major corporate sponsors were Magna Bank, A.O. Smith, Precoat Metals, Lanter Co., Illinois Power, Illinois-American Water Co., Kraft Foods-Capri Sun, the Glik Stores, First Bank, and Providence Occupational Health Services.

Significant pledge increases were reported from employees of QuikTrip, SSI Services, Spectruline Consortium Inc. and Heartland Healthcare.

THE LAW AND YOU

By RICK REED
Attorney At Law



Recently a woman came to this office and indicated that her ex-husband had stopped paying child support several months earlier. The couple had been divorced in 1990, and he was ordered to pay \$400 per month as child support for two children. He had paid faithfully until late 1995, but due to his financial reversals, he stopped paying child support at that time. Furthermore, he became very sporadic in exercising his visitation.

The mother of the children wanted to know if she could terminate his visitation based on the fact that he was no longer paying child support. In the original divorce decree, she was ordered to allow him visitation every other weekend, two weeks in the summer, and alternating legal holidays. She had continued to comply with the visitation order even during the time period when he was no longer paying child support. Her question was whether she needed to continue granting visitation in the absence of child support.

Illinois law provides that each party must comply with the terms of a divorce (dissolution of marriage). If a mother is granted custody and the father is allowed visitation, it is incumbent

upon the mother to continue to grant visitation no matter what the circumstances. Only a court has the authority to change a visitation schedule.

So therefore, in the case at hand, the mother could not unilaterally terminate visitation simply because the father was no longer paying child support. His obligation to pay child support and her obligation to grant visitation were independent of each other. He could not stop paying child support because she was not granting visitation, and likewise, she could not terminate visitation based on his failure to pay child support.

Thus, in the case noted above, the mother's only remedy was to take the father back to court in an effort to collect back child support. She could ask the court to hold him in contempt and ask that an Order of Withholding be placed on his wages in order to collect the child support obligation. She could not take it upon herself to cut off his visitation to force him to comply with the child support obligation. The lesson here is that a party to a divorce should never make a unilateral decision to act contrary to the terms of the original dissolution of marriage.

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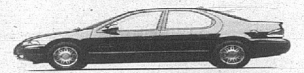
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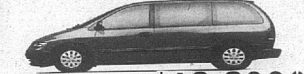
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Clinton Carol's comments Most of us are immigrants

Earlier this month, with members of Congress championing the bill to hit the campaign trails, an omnibus appropriations bill was passed by both houses and signed into law by President Clinton.

Nobody wanted to be hanging around Washington with Nov. 5 closing in and nobody wanted to look heartless to the electorate, so the bill represented what government sometimes does best: Compromise.

Included in the bill was legislation aimed at slowing illegal immigration, which includes increased penalties for alien smuggling and production of phony documents, as well as almost doubling the size of the Border Patrol over the next five years.

Additionally, it will give local police and law enforcement officers authority to arrest illegal immigrants, a power they do not presently have.

We're told that the new legislation will reduce the flow of illegals entering this country as well as the flow of illegal drugs, protect American jobs and save billions of our tax dollars. All fine and dandy and devoutly to be hoped for — cross your fingers.

Fortunately, the bill which passed did NOT include some features of an earlier measure that would have severely penalized legal aliens.

Compromise came into play, after all, it is an election year) and this provision, which would have required legal Americans residents to work up to 200 percent of the poverty level before they could sponsor a foreign relative into the country as an immigrant, was dropped to 125 percent. Still up 100 percent required under existing law.

Also dropped was a provision that would have put legal immigrants in danger of deportation if they received 12 months of public benefits in their first seven years in the U.S.

Neither will immigrants be refused Medicaid payment for treatment of AIDS or HIV infection nor will their children be refused education in our public schools. The last two items, at least, putting us on the side of the angels, I should think.

As a people, we don't often bother to distinguish between "legal" and "illegal" aliens,



Carol Clarkin

and our immigration laws during this century have become increasingly prejudiced in terms of which peoples are "desirable" and which are not. Our attitudes have become so xenophobic as to put the lie to Lazarus' high-falutin' lines about "huddled masses yearning to breathe free."

This bias, it seems to me, is ironic in view of the fact that unless we can lay claim to at least some American Indian blood, we're all descended from immigrants. Certainly we have a common bond, we came here to escape religious or political persecution, but most of our forebears immigrated to gain land, a better living. Where they came from seems besides the point; we have a common bond, we are seeking the same goodies our ancestors sought.

A couple of weeks ago, I spent a weekend with (among others) a friend who I see rarely. About every five to 10 years. He's the only multimillionaire I know, and I admire him for a number of reasons, none of which have anything to do with wealth. He's a native Texan (a breed I tend to avoid) but I've never seen George wear boots or Stetson with his conservative suits.

He doesn't brag about his home state and is rather quiet and thoughtful. He's a self-made man who worked his way through college. A. M. married one of my best friends and has been a good father to his 10 children.

But what I admire especially about him is that since 1982, when he first made the annual Forbes' 400 Wealthiest list, his biographical notes in the magazine have always included information that his father was an immigrant, a former Greek shepherd, a man who migrated from one of the so-called less desirable areas of the world and settled in Galveston.

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Puppy love or harassment?

(This column was written by Charles Geer of Granite City.)

"Charlie and Angie, sittin' in a tree/K-I-S-S-I-N-G/First comes love, then comes marriage, then comes Charlie with the baby carriage."

Or was it Christie, or Kathy, or Sharon, or Michelle? Least anyone get suspicious, I am happily married to Angie (12 years and counting). The others were grade-school crushes. Christie, in fact, was my first crush at age 6.

We shared glasses of Tang, watched the fireman put out a blaze at a neighbor's house. We played "house" in his basement. I may have even kissed her on the cheek.

In 1969, Paul Anka called it puppy love. In 1996, some people call it sexual harassment. In Lexington, N.C., a 6-year-old Jonathan and a 6-year-old female classmate who his mother called "an innocent peck on the cheek." As a result, Jonathan was banished to another classroom — away

from his classmates. His mother said Jonathan's girlfriend asked him to kiss her as a sign of their friendship. Given the classroom setting, against the backdrop of students into shrieking hysterics. But sexual harassment?

School officials pointed to the student handbook given to each child at the start of the year; they were adamant in their view that "a 6-year-old kissing another 6-year-old is inappropriate behavior." They indeed acknowledged the rule is designed to prevent, say, 16-year-old kissing.

Thus, Jonathan missed an ice cream party for perfect attendance; punishment enough, I would think. But suspending him? Jonathan probably doesn't know how to spell "harassment," much less understand what it means.

Sexual harassment is a pinch on the behind from a co-worker; it's a leer or wolf whistle from one of the guys out in line. It's a hint that Ms. Worner could

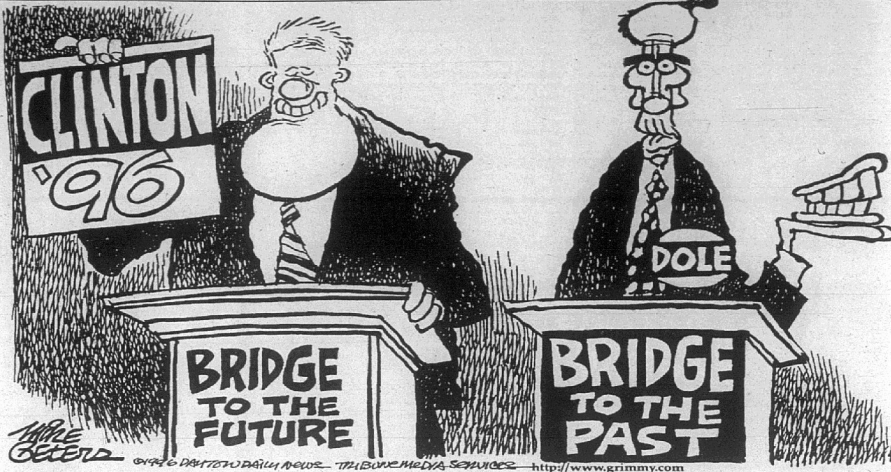
open up her career opportunities by opening up her blouse. It's resisting such an advance, then getting fired for "insubordination" — and it's your word against the boss's.

It is NOT a 6-year-old kissing another 6-year-old. Jonathan has learned his lesson: You don't kiss a girl in class; maybe another lesson, too: Don't kiss anyone. Don't touch anyone. Don't show any sort of emotion. You could get into trouble like you did in first grade.

The young girl may have learned a lesson, too. Don't trust men. Worse, don't trust anyone.

I doubt the school officials in North Carolina learned anything. By swallowing the gist of Jonathan's kiss, they're ignoring the huge problems facing teachers everywhere: Producing students who can actually read, write, spell and think.

I would be far more concerned if Jonathan had been kissing the girls in his class rather than kissing them.



Letters to the editor

Give GOP consideration

TO THE EDITOR:
An open letter to Granite City voters:

Today, as never before, Americans are asking questions about their government. There is a growing disenchantment with a political system that seems to function sporadically, is heavily over budgeted and continues to embrace programs that are failing to meet the problems and needs of American society. The federal government has gotten too big, too complex, and way too costly. One of our nation's major parties has attempted to cut back on this spending, yet meets resistance from every special interest group in America. This party is the Republican Party, a party almost unknown to the Granite City voter.

Perhaps it is time for Granite City voters to question their voting habits. Traditionally, Granite City has been a Democratic Party lock. Republican candidates have received barely a cursory glance as the faithful Granite City voter punches the straight Democratic Party ticket. Rather than voting the same old party politics, we should examine the candidates and how they stand on issues pertinent to all aspects of our lives. We need to know how these candidates will vote on such specific issues as entitlements (welfare, public aid, food stamps, etc.), a failing criminal justice system, illegal immigration, and a health care system in danger of going bankrupt in the very near future.

The Democratic Party, in the past, has been the party of organized labor. Granite City, being an industrial center and having strong union sympathies, has voted heavily for this party because of this union alliance. This is true to the degree that local politics is almost a single party system. Democratic candidates on the national level can be guaranteed the vote of Granite City no matter their stand on important issues. Recently,

some of the Democratic Party's labor politics (the Free Trade Agreement with Mexico) have many in the labor/union movement up in arms. Some have even hypothesized this kind of policy is not the act of a party that claims to protect labor. Not only is the modern Democratic Party not the defender of labor, it is not the party of yet another constituency it claims to represent, the middle class. Selling themselves as the defenders of the common man, they state they will only raise the taxes of the very wealthy while in reality most of Middle America sees steady increases in their tax bills. If this party is not representing labor interests, or middle class America, who then is this party representing, and what philosophical agenda does it pursue and promote?

The Democratic Party is simply the party of liberalism. It has become the chief proponent of liberal special interest and liberal special interest groups. Ethnic minorities, gays, militant feminists, educational liberals, conservatives and ecological extremists, affirmative action and rave preference adherents, all combine to make up this diverse collage of a political party. They all espouse and promote their own agenda, but bond together to form a coalition to increase their ability for philosophical and legislative power. The overwhelming question must be: what does the average Granite City voter have in common with this group? Obviously, very little, so why do we continue to vote for this party's candidates?

Why ask? Here are just a few reasons...Social Security, the Landon & Griffith Law, Wagoner Act, Child Labor Laws, the 8-hour work day, the 40-hour work week, paid holidays and vacations, minimum wage laws, retirement, insurance, Medicare, workers comp., O.S.H.A., the E.P.A., plus unemployment insurance

and equal pay for men and women, job security and safety, regulations...to name a few.

I urge you to "Vote with your wallet and not just a single issue." Vote for American working families. Vote Democrat and help save America. JACK GREENE
Granite City

Will we continue to cast our ballots for individuals like Dick Durbin, the Democratic candidate who has been selected to replace the retiring Sen. Paul Simon? He is but another of the rubber stamp liberals who will continue the tax and spend, federal entitlement programs that so many of us have come to abhor. Look at his Congressional record. No wonder a middle class income and a family could vote for this man.

It is time for each of us to examine the candidates from both parties and choose the candidate that best expresses our views, our values, and our philosophies, and whose policies will be in best interest of our families, community and country.

CURT WATERS
Granite City

Good reason to back liberals

TO THE EDITOR:
What is a liberal Democrat? They are organized labor members who were given that name many years ago.

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Mihalich offers strong ideas

TO THE EDITOR:
Jim Mihalich has definitely gotten my vote. I generally vote for whichever candidate I think is the better person who will do what is best for his or her area. In his brief political career, I've seen Mihalich talk about cutting government waste and failed programs, getting tough on criminals, cutting taxes, reforming welfare, real ideas and plans for creating jobs, and, among other things, most recently offering to work with his Democrat Senate colleagues to do what his opponent, Steve Davis, failed to do for local schools.

In any case, with his community activist background, his being chosen to run in the Olympic Torch Relay, and his proven leadership abilities that propelled him through the ranks at Illinois Bell and to his position at the River Bend Growth Association, Jim Mihalich is clearly the best choice in this race, and I look forward to having a representative who is respected by his colleagues in the legislature.

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Communing with nature

Treehouse Wildlife Center holds an open house

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

More than 1,100 people were given a chance to get closer to nature at an open house at the Treehouse Wildlife Center in Brighton last weekend.

Owls, eagles, hawks, bobcats and a variety of other animals were on display, in addition to games and information booths.

Director Adele Moore of Granite City said the open house was both to educate and raise funds for the center.

"We are a rehabilitation center; we take in orphaned and injured wild animals and release them back to the wild if possible," she said.

Treehouse Wildlife Center is a nonprofit volunteer organization dedicated to the preservation of native American wildlife. It is the largest wildlife rehabilitation center in the U.S. staffed exclusively by volunteers.

Treehouse operates under permits from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the Illinois Department of Natural Resources and the Illinois Endangered Species Board, but does not receive any governmental funding.

It was started in 1979 to care for orphaned and injured wildlife. It is located on 19 acres near Alton, and includes several buildings and 23 outdoor cages which serve as temporary homes for wildlife.

It serves a seven-county area, including Madison and St. Clair counties.

Moore said the center's busy time is in the spring, when people bring in orphaned animals.

When possible the animals are rehabilitated and released, but animals that are too severely injured or have been raised by humans cannot be released.

Those animals are used in the center's educational programs. Several were on display throughout the center.

On Saturday, Deana Brown of Caseyville, a volunteer for the past six years, was showing visitors Albert, a great horned owl.

"It's the biggest owl in Illinois, and it's fairly common," Brown said.

She also said it is the only natural predator of the skunk.

Like many of the center's animals, Albert was raised by humans and cannot be released back into the wild.

"We have him because somebody took him in when he was young, thinking they would have a pet," Brown said.

"They fed it the wrong things and it developed rickets. So its wings were not developed correctly and it cannot fly."

She said owls were good to have around "because they are natural pest control."

Melvin McCann of Rosewood



Joan Berkel and her grandson, Drew Cox, 20 months, from Alton, are amazed by the ability of Albert, a great horned owl, to look directly behind himself. (Staff photo by JOHN FRESSE)

Heights was showing a female Mexican Harris hawk.

The hawk had been owned by a falconer, but had been injured when it was attacked by a dog while hunting.

McCann had been a volunteer at the center for a year.

"A year ago they had a bicycle ride out here," he said. "I came out and rode, took a tour and have been out here ever since."

For information about the center, call 372-8002.



Trace Eldridge of Shipman holds her son Michael, 3, up to see a Harris hawk.



Above, volunteer Jack Peterson of Alton holds onto Sprite, a kestrel who was imprinted to humans. Imprinting happens when a bird is raised by humans from a very young age without any contact with its own species. Such animals are drawn to human companionship and unable to live in the wild. Below, Melvin McCann of Rosewood Heights, a Treehouse volunteer, holds a female Mexican Harris hawk up for visitors to see. The hawk was owned by a falconer, but its wing was broken by a dog in a hunting accident and it is now a permanent resident.



At right, Tigger, a bobcat in permanent residence at the center, cannot be released because he was raised as a pet and declawed before he was taken by the Department of Natural Resources. Above, Cody, a coyote living at the shelter, also cannot be set free because he was socialized to people and is too tame. Although they can be socialized, wild animals rarely become domesticated enough to be reliable pets; they usually end up confined to cages. At left, Nick Funk, 8, of Alton uses a padded hammer to trigger the catapult under a toy frog at a jumping contest booth run by volunteer Sharon Strohbeck of Carlinville.



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KTVI	②	Lazarus	★★★ "An American Werewolf in London" (1981)	Night Stand (In Stereo)	Fire Rescue	Haven	WallSt	Catholic Mass
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PREMIUM STATIONS									
HBO	14	Neverend	Wiz. of Oz	★★★ "Racing With the Moon" (1984) Sean Penn.	Inside the NFL (In Stereo)	"Dr. Jekyll and Ms. Hyde" (1995) GE	"Airheads"		

DISN	16	Life of Toys	Amazing	Wondrland	Umbrella	Wondrland	Halloween	★★ "The Munsters' Revenge" (1981)	Franken.	Sitters	Ready-No
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HBO	14	Off Campus	Columbus	Once upon	Year of Year for Kids	Masters of War	Century of Warfare (R)	Weapons at War (R)
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HBO	14	Neverend	Wiz. of Oz	Diaries	** "Iron Eagle II" (1988) Louis Gossett Jr., PG		Without Pity: Abilities	** 1/2 "Permanent Record" (1988) R

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REMIUM STATIONS					
BO	14	(12:30) "Airheads" (1994)	****	"Driving Miss Daisy" (1989) Jessica Tandy	America
				*** "The Bridges of Madison County" (1995) Clint Eastwood	

ISN	16	Torkelsons	Ocean Girl	Spellbinder	Animal	"Neverending Story II-Next Chapter"	Rotten	Avonlea (In Stereo) (D)	Scooby	"Watcher"
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FMC	17	"A Room With a View"	★★	"The Road to Wellville" (1994) Anthony Hopkins	★★ 1/2	"Dolores Claiborne" (1995) Kathy Bates, "R	★	"Myra Breckenridge"
	18	"The Watcher in the Woods" (1980) B.C.		Art Garfunkel	★★★	"The Electric Horseman" (1979) Debra Winger, B.C.		"Isaac Asimov"

HIST	96	Modern Marvels (R)	Heart of a Nation/The Statue of Liberty	Year by Year "1987" (R)	Modern Marvels (R)	Nation, Statue of Liberty
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TMC	17	(6:10) "To Sir With Love"	★★ "Dangerous Minds" (1995) 'R' [R]	★★½ "The Quick and the Dead" (1995, Western) 'R'	★★½ "Panther" (1995, Drama) 'R' [R]
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East St. Louis trivia

Calendar features questions, tidbits about city

By Mark Hodapp
Staff writer

Who won third place in a poster contest when East St. Louis was recognized as an All-American city in 1960? If you said Mayor Gordon Bush, consider yourself a master of East St. Louis trivia.

That question, along with several others about East St. Louis, appear in a 1997 trivia calendar about the city. Bill Nunes of Glen Carbon wrote the calendar.

Nunes said only a limited number of the calendars will be available. Each calendar costs \$6.95, and can be purchased at B Dalton Bookseller and Waldenbooks at St. Clair Square; the Forget-Me-Not florist shop at 6500 W. Main St. in Belleville; Schaeffer Prescription Pharmacy, 300 E. Main St. in Belleville; and at area Jan's Hallmark Stores.

Nunes had earlier written an anecdotal history of East St. Louis. He is now writing a sequel to that book. The sequel, which will be a more historical look at East St. Louis, should be on sale next year, he said.

Nunes said the calendar will feature questions and interesting tidbits that he learned about East St. Louis while writing the books.

For example, did you know: A Buffalo Bill came to East St. Louis once a year to look for arrowheads.

"I talked to a lady whose grandmother was a maid at the hotel where Buffalo Bill used to stay," Nunes said. "She said her grandmother refused to serve him until he took a bath."

Most of the questions on the calendar pertain to events that took place in the late 1940s and 1950s. There are, however, some questions from recent events, Nunes said.

For example, there is a question about East St. Louisan Kellen Winslow, who was elected to the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1995.

There are also several

questions about former famous residents of East St. Louis. For instance, did you know tennis player Jimmy Connors was born in East St. Louis? Connors' mom once turned down actor Mickey Rooney for a date, Nunes said.

And did you know former East St. Louis resident Kay Rae was married to Clark Gable? Nunes said the calendar will feature six color pictures and 32 black and white photographs of East St. Louis.

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Two classes for soccer kicking in

Area coaches — to a man — interviewed about the Illinois High School Association's announcement to institute a two-class playoff system in boys soccer for the 1997 season gave a thumbs-up on the decision.

Really, it was a mandate from the coaches, who voted 174-32 in favor of a two-class system last year.

"It's been talked about the last three or four years about having two classes in boys soccer," said Edwardsville High School coach Mark Schwarzkopf, who serves on the IHSA Soccer Advisory Committee. "The target number of schools to go to the two-class system was set at 300 and that was exceeded last year when the coaches voted so overwhelmingly in favor — almost six to one — the IHSA had to listen to the coaches."

Schwarzkopf said there are between 315 and 325 schools playing boys soccer throughout the state.

"It will make for an interesting state tournament," Schwarzkopf said. "The smaller schools will now have a chance to be in the competitive, and the larger schools will have no easy games."

The question remains, what will be the cut-off figure then enrollment? Earlier reports had it at between 1,250 and 1,300 students, Schwarzkopf he's not sure, but that it's going to be a 50-50 split, meaning the state's larger 50 percent of schools playing boys soccer will go in the larger class, presumably Class AA, while the state's smaller 50 percent of boys soccer-playing schools will be in the smaller class, presumably Class A.

The new system could quickly impact a school like Triad. With an enrollment of about 1,100 students, Triad would be on the bubble as far as being a Class A or Class AA school.

"I really have no preference," said Triad coach Harold Schwehr, whose team earned the No. 2 seed in this year's Granite City Sectional. "Naturally, it would be tougher for us in Class AA, but there are a lot of good, small schools in the state, too."

With a sophomore-dominated team and a good freshman class behind the sophomores, Triad could be a legitimate state contender in Class A.

That is, if the Knights stay in the smaller class. Schwehr said an increasing enrollment at Triad probably would bump the Knights into the larger class in a year or two.

All other Mississippi Valley Conference schools, including Highland, should start out at Class A. Other area schools to benefit would be Alton Marquette, Althoff, Gibault and others. Carbondale, which is an up-and-coming program, also could be in the Class A soccer tournament.

"If we had the Class A tournament when the Stone boys were playing here, we could have been a state contender," says Marquette coach Mike Skordos.

Even more recently, the Explorers have been able to compete with the big boys. The last two seasons, Marquette has bowed to the No. 1-seeded team in the sectional final.

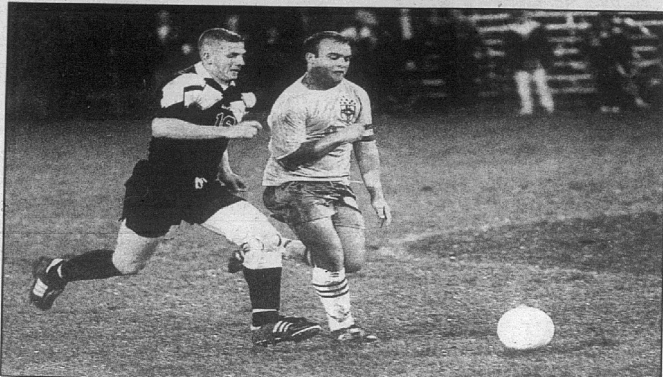
Dave Slosberg, a former player at Althoff and now the school's first-year head coach, believes Althoff would have been a definite state threat if the two-class system had existed in years past.

As recently as 1993, the Crusaders were one of the better teams in the area. Traditionally, they have been on the level behind Granite City and Collinsville in area soccer circles.

Also, consider in the first 24 years of the boys state soccer tournament, the teams advancing to state from this area have all been from schools in the Granite City/Granite City South, Granite City North, Collinsville, Alton and Edwardsville. Granite City/Granite City South has won 10 state championships and Collinsville has won four.

"What makes the bigger schools better is their depth," Slosberg says. "They have more better players than the smaller schools."

Kickers close in on postseason



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Kyle Briggs (left) races a defender to the ball. GCHS kicks off sectional play Friday against the winner of today's match between Belleville East and Westcliff.

No. 5 Warriors hope to be 'real factor' in sectional

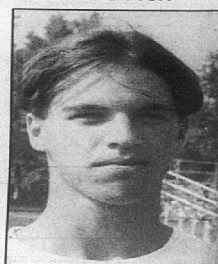
By Brian L. Jones
Correspondent

Granite City never got to play its rematch against St. Louis University High as scheduled in the last regular-season soccer game after rain-outs both Monday and Tuesday.

So the Warriors (9-7-4) now direct their attention to the playoffs this week and the 25-team Granite City Sectional. The fifth-seeded Warriors have a preliminary bye and begin play at 4 p.m. Friday at The Gauntlet. They will host the winner of today's 4 p.m. match between 12th-seeded Belleville East and No. 14 Westcliff.

In the meantime, 24th-year coach Gene Baker faces the same question about every GCHS team he takes into the postseason: Can the Warriors make yet another legitimate run for the state championship?

Granite City ended the regular season last Friday with a 3-0 victory over McCluer.



North. "We knew we had some things to learn this year because of our inexperience, but I'm real proud of the way we're going to be." (See KICKERS, Page 28)

Warriors look to slow down high-powered Edwardsville

By Brian L. Jones
Correspondent

Eight prep football coaches have tried to prepare this season for the fearsome Edwardsville Tigers.

All have failed. Edwardsville is 8-0, ranked second in the state in Class 5A and leads the Southwestern Conference with a 6-0 record. Now it's Nick Petrillo's turn. The Edwardsville scoring machine visits his Granite City Warriors at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the Hagauer Sports Complex.



(Photo by T.W. MILLER)

GCHS quarterback Kevin Harris holds for kicker Rocky Smith on a field-goal attempt.

WGCU to air GCHS Friday

Friday's Southwestern Conference game between Granite City and Edwardsville at Memorial Stadium will be carried live by WGCU/AM 920. The broadcast will begin at 7:30 p.m. WGCU's Scott Warmann and Mike Mueller will call the game.

"It's kind of a privilege to play somebody of that caliber," Petrillo said of the Tigers, who lead the St. Louis area in scoring at 51.8 points per game. "You kind of see how you measure up with what I think is a real state championship contender."

While Petrillo appreciates the challenge, having Edwardsville for the final game of his first GCHS coaching season is bad timing. The Warriors (3-5) don't want to go out on a three-game losing streak. They had been 3-1 in the SWC before back-to-back losses to Alton and East St. Louis dropped them to 3-3.

The Warriors would like to finish untied within the top half of the conference. Fifth-place rivals Belleville East (2-4) and Belleville West (2-4) have a easier finish, with a game against Lincoln and Collinsville, respectively. Petrillo may have a secret weapon against the Edwardsville offense.

"Mother Nature had a lot to do with us getting ready," Petrillo said, referring to steady rain this week that soaked the GCHS field. "The more rain we get, the better off we're going to be."

Petrillo hopes a muddy field will prevent the Edwardsville receivers from getting deep for bullet passes from quarterback Jim Dougherty. The 6-foot-4, 200-pound senior leads the Met-

(See WARRIORS, Page 38)



(Photo by T.W. MILLER)

Granite City junior Wes Reed battles to make a catch during Saturday's game against East St. Louis. The Warriors wrap up the regular season Friday night at home against Edwardsville.

Kumar capping off season at state

By Brian L. Jones
Correspondent

As late as Tuesday, Geeta Kumar knew neither her seed nor her first-round opponent for the Illinois girls state tennis tournament today through Saturday in Mount Prospect.

"We won't know until Thursday morning when we get to Chicago," said Granite City tennis coach Linda Ames.

That's exactly the way Ames and her No. 1 singles player wanted it. Kumar isn't interested in figuring out records and rankings to guess how far she might advance in the state singles bracket. She realizes state tennis has been dominated over the years by Chicago-area players, and would prefer to take each match as it comes.

"Geeta's not going up there with any particular goals," said Ames, who will coach her first state qualifying player in three seasons with the Lady Warriors. "If she wins a couple of matches, she wins a couple. If she doesn't, fine. Her accomplishment is just having made it to the state tournament."

Kumar is already in exclusive company for that reason. Only three other girls players in GCHS history have ever stroked the racket at state. Kerri Weckman advanced in

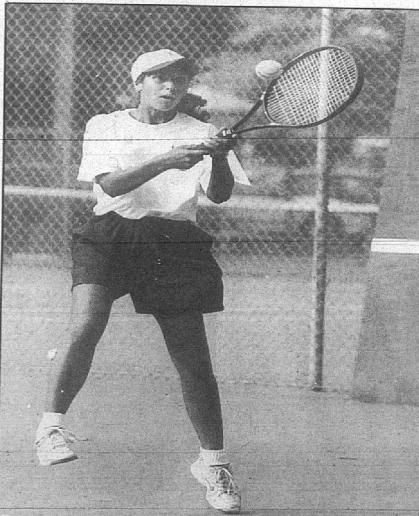
"It's a huge accomplishment for her to be playing at state and she's very excited about it. Just her being there gives our younger players something to look forward to."

— Linda Ames
GCHS coach

singles in 1989 and the doubles tandem of Addie Linzi and Hollie Taylor played at state in 1990. All three were eliminated in their first matches, so Kumar needs only one victory to make school history.

Kumar, who placed third last Saturday at the Belleville West Sectional, will likely draw a difficult first-round state opponent. She was projected for the bottom half of the bracket for players ranked between 65th and 120th.

The challenge for Kumar is to adjust to a higher level of play after breaking very little sweat in the sectional. That tournament lost some of its competitiveness after former



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

A third-place finish by Geeta Kumar in the Belleville West Sectional last weekend gave the Lady Warriors their first state tennis tournament berth since 1990.

Ambush aims for return to NPSL finals

The St. Louis Ambush opened the 1996-97 National Professional Soccer League season last Friday as the favorite to win the NPSL National Conference.

A poll of NPSL coaches forecasted a repeat of the 1995-96 championship series, when the Cleveland Crunch defeated the Ambush, the 1994-95 champs. St. Louis, which finished 24-16 last season, opened the season Friday at Kiel Center against the expansion Toronto Shooting Stars. The Ambush is in its fifth season of existence.

Last year, the team set an NPSL record for attendance at a single game with 17,803 fans attending the March 23 match with Baltimore. The Ambush also led the league in attendance for the season with 182,043 fans for 20 games, an average of 9,102 per game. That was more than 1,400 per game ahead of second-best Cleveland.

This year's Ambush team is led by Mark Moser, the franchise's all-time leading scorer. Joe Reiniger, last year's leading scorer with 170 points; Steve Kuntz, who scored 107 points in 38 games last season; and player-coach Daryl Doran, team captain Kevin Humst and Jamie Swanner, six-time NPSL goalkeeper of the year. The team's home schedule appears on page 2B.

SPORTS

Prep soccer

Granite City Sectional
Thursday, Oct. 24
Game 1: Brescia Mater Dei (19) at Centralia (10), 3:15 p.m.
Game 2: Marion (21) at Carbondale (8), 4 p.m.
Game 3: East St. Louis Lincoln (25) at Waterloo (9), 4 p.m.
Game 4: Lebanon (20) at Mascoutah (13), 4 p.m.
Game 5: Wescinn (14) at Belleville East (12), 4 p.m.
Game 6: Columbia (18) at Cahokia (15), 4 p.m.
Game 7: Roxana (23) at Alhott (10), 6:30 p.m.
Game 8: Olney East Richland (22) at Mount Carmel (17), 5 p.m.
Game 9: Metro East Lutheran (24) at Gibault (11), 3 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 25
Game 10: Winner Game 5 at Granite City (9), 4 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 26
Game 11: Winner Game 1 at Collinsville (1), 2 p.m.
Game 12: Winner Game 2 vs. Winner Game 3, 2 p.m.
Game 13: Winner Game 4 at Highland (4), 1 p.m.
Game 14: Winner Game 6 at Tri-D (2), 6:30 p.m.
Game 15: Winner Game 7 at Belleville West (7), 1 p.m.
Game 16: Winner Game 8 at Fallou (3), 1:30 p.m.
Game 17: Winner Game 9 at Edwardsville (6), 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 29
Game 18: Winner Game 11 vs. Winner Game 12, TBA
Game 19: Winner Game 10 vs. Winner Game 13, TBA
Game 20: Winner Game 14 vs. Winner Game 15, TBA
Game 21: Winner Game 16 vs. Winner Game 17, TBA

Thursday, Oct. 31
Sectional Semifinals
at SIUE
Game 1: Winner Game 18 vs. Winner Game 19, 5 p.m.
Game 2: Winner Game 20 vs. Winner Game 21, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 2
Championship
Game 3: Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2, 1 p.m.

Edwardsville Super-Sectional
Tuesday, Nov. 5
at SIUE
Game 1: Winner Granite City Sectional vs. Winner Chatham Glenwood Sectional, TBA

State Tournament
Friday, Nov. 8
at St. Charles
Quarterfinals
Game 1: Addison Trail Super-Sectional winner vs. Mundelein Super-Sectional winner, 12:30 p.m.
Game 2: New Lenox Lincoln-Way Super-Sectional winner vs. Barrington Super-Sectional winner, 2:30 p.m.
Game 3: Chicago Public League winner vs. Barrington Super-Sectional winner, 5:30 p.m.
Game 4: Edwardsville Super-Sectional winner vs. Peoria Richmond Super-Sectional winner, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 9
Game 5: Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2, 9 a.m.
Game 6: Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4, 11 a.m.
Game 7: Third place loser Game 5 vs. Loser Game 6, 5 p.m.
Championship: Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6, 7 p.m.

•Kickers

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the kids have responded," Baker said. "I think we can be a real factor in the sectional. The kids have worked hard and we feel like we're prepared for it because of the schedule we've played."

The Warriors are unbeaten in their last three matches (2-0-1), but had a .500 record at the time of the sectional seed meeting. Until this year, they had never been seeded below No. 2. Such respect is always due to a program with nine state titles under Baker.

Edwardsville knocked GCHS out of the sectional semifinals last year and went on to reach the state tournament for the first time in school history. Apparently, this year's committee overlooked a loaded GCHS schedule most teams would have been lucky to survive by breaking even.

CBC, for example, is the No. 1-ranked large-school team in St. Louis with 13-2 record. The Warriors also this year posted a 1-1 tie against CBC, which won its second straight title in the Pepsi-Cola/GCHS/Lotto Tournament of Champions.

The Warriors also traveled

to Kansas City and lost 4-0 on Sept. 20 to Aquinas High School, the top-ranked team in the country. Francis Howell North was 12-0-1 and ranked second in St. Louis when it barely beat GCHS 2-1 score in the Hazelwood Central Tournament. The Warriors' only loss in the Tournament of Champions was to SLUH (15-2-2), the current No. 2 team in St. Louis.

As for Metro East powers, the Warriors have lost by only one goal each to Edwardsville, Collinsville and Alton.

"Sure, we've had a few disappointing losses, but our record against the top teams is pretty darn good," Baker said. "We had CBC up 1-0 with nine minutes to go in that 1-1 tie. We beat the No. 1-ranked small-school team in St. Louis (Aquinas-Mercy) and we tied the No. 2 small team (Rosa). We beat Vianney, which is ranked No. 9 over there, and we beat a decent Springfield Sacred Heart-Griffin team. So we certainly feel like we're coming on a little bit."

Edwardsville's senior midfielder Scott Mills recorded three assists, and Curt Howard, Corey Winfield and Adam Sanchez each scored goals in last week's win



Howard Winfield

over McCluer North. Goalkeeper Jeremy Smith made five saves to preserve the team's seventh shutout win. But the Warriors have many more weapons.

"Scott Mills is our top goal scorer with eight," Baker said. "We've got a great leader in (senior sweeper) Kyle Briggs, who is the premier player on the east side of the river. He leads in assists and dominates the entire field. The University of Kentucky was on the phone asking about him the other day. UAB came to see him (Monday), and

Evansville called this week about him.

(Forward) Eric Edwards is looking at the University of Illinois at Chicago and Scotty's also a college prospect," Baker added. "(Defender) Eric Wilkerson's done a nice job for us. I'm very satisfied with the seniors. And our young kids have gotten enough seasoning to make them ready to play now."

Belleville East could be a dangerous first-round opponent, should the Lancers get by Wescinn as expected. Just seven days ago, East played the Warriors to a 1-1 tie in a game that was called at half-time because of lightning.

While Baker respects every opponent, he believes his Warriors can beat anyone in the state.

"We're making fewer mistakes as we approach the tournament," Baker said. "We're playing more of a complete game, which was what we had trouble doing early on (during a 3-5-2 start). We want to get on the field as soon as we can. We'd like to play to the best state tournament tomorrow. I certainly don't have any misgivings about this team at all."

•Kumar

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entry Althoff was moved this year to the Belleville East Sectional. Kumar, the West girls and two doubles teams from Jerseyville performed head and shoulders above their sectional competition.

"Geeta had a very easy route to get to the state tournament," Ames said. "She beat Vanessa Church from Jerseyville and Michelle Rogers from Bethalto and her scores were 6-0, 6-0. Then she played the West girl (Jessica McKinney) real strong in the semifinals and lost 5-7, 3-6. (McKin-

ney) went on to finish second."

Kumar went on to defeat Valerie McCoy of Civic Memorial (7-5, 6-1) in the third-place match to improve her season singles record to 12-6. Kumar also went 3-5 this year in a few dual meets as a No. 1 doubles partner with senior Michelle Montgomery. Those doubles losses were against Granite City's best opponents.

Even the adjustment to a No. 1 singles schedule was a state challenge for Kumar, who played the No. 2 circuit as a sophomore and junior behind former GCHS standout Marci Holsinger. Kumar nearly

advanced to state last year in a more difficult Belleville West Sectional field.

"I would say Geeta's performance this year was about equal to her junior year and both years were successful," Ames said. "Geeta and Marci Holsinger had match point last year (in the sectional quarterfinals), so they just missed getting to state as a doubles team."

Kumar never imagined a state appearance when she joined the GCHS program as a freshman, one year before Ames arrival. The No. 2-ranked student in her academic class, Kumar has made herself a top player through intelligence and court savvy.

"Geeta doesn't even play tennis in the offseason," Ames said. "She has never taken a private tennis lesson anywhere. She's just a hard worker who plays a very smart game. She's not the most gifted or polished player we've had, but she outsmarts her opponent by moving the ball around. She does things most high school kids don't think about."

As Holsinger did for her, Kumar will leave behind an exemplary legacy for junior Adina Lewis and other upcoming classmen in the GCHS program.

"It's a huge accomplishment for her to be playing at state and she's very excited about it," Ames said. "Just being there gives our younger players something to look forward to."

Journal Writers' Poll Boys Soccer

1. CBC (17-2-2).....	70
2. SLUH (16-3-3).....	63
3. DeSmet (17-6-1).....	56
4. Francis Howell N. (15-3-3).....	46
5. Chaminda (15-4-3).....	37
6. Oakville (14-3-2).....	35
7. Vianey (9-7-5).....	25
8. Hazelwood C. (13-5-1).....	14
9. Westview Groves (17-3-1).....	9
10. St. Dominic (10-3-8).....	8

Also receiving votes: Principia, Ft. Zumwalt South, Rockwood Summit, Collinsville, Aquinas-Mercy, Rosary, Triad.

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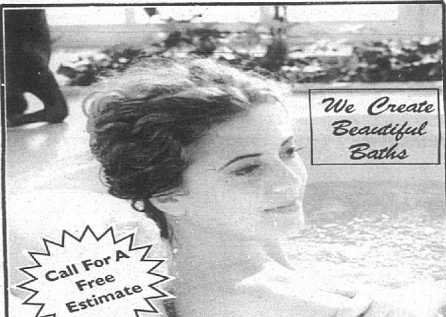
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Alton Marquette at 7:30 p.m.
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ARIES (March 21-April 19). Demands will increase your popularity. Forget your love life and it will magically improve. Single parents must find child-care facilities quickly. The search for a job should begin now. Rest up for the weekend ahead.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20).

Vary your pace on a project at work and your efficiency grows. Dangling incentives in front of a teen hurts his or her self-esteem. You harbor doubts about a new love. Attend theatrical events.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You are subtly being coerced into endorsing ideas that you do not believe in. Frustrating delays should not dampen your

enthusiasm. You earn money by doing work for a relative or neighbor. Evening phone calls are steamy.
CANCER (June 22-July 22). Do not let competition scare you now as you are in top form. Jealous co-workers try to undermine your confidence. A love relationship is successful with a relocation or a change in a domestic arrange-

ment.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Temper your criticism with some praise. Your oversensitive nature keeps you from enjoying social gatherings. You have luck with long-distance romantic relationships. Stand your ground, and overcome.
TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Oct. 24). Long-sought-after lifestyle innovations are yours this

month. Perfecting your job skills in November sets you up for the next raise or promotion. Clear goals and strength of purpose bring monetary success in December. The marriage-minded do well in March and May with Leo or Gemini. Singles sizzle with romantic flings in August. Your lucky months are December and May.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Embrace a new career or financial prospects, or someone else will snap up these opportunities. In love, you mesmerize a Scorpio or Gemini tonight. Your sparkling wit erases past mistakes.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22). Set a timetable for career goals. Your good-natured charm melts the heart of a potential new love. Attend parties. Couples find that absence improves romance. An Aquarius needs guidance, but approach this gently.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21). You need to take a breather from romantic situations. Romantic interludes freshen your attitude about love and

marriage. Do not conform to others' expectations, as they will be delighted when you do things your way.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). A simple gesture means everything to a relative. Settle debts or disputes through mediation. Investments can be saved through clever finagling. Let go of a Pisces or Gemini love, and find a soul mate.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You are sailing on uncharted romantic waters. Risks intimidate you, but you thrive in a tense setting. Teens find positive aspects in school. Luck comes through groups, especially ones that include a Taurus.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Your business skills peak, bringing you new attention and prestige. Civic activities or volunteer work have surprise financial benefits for you.

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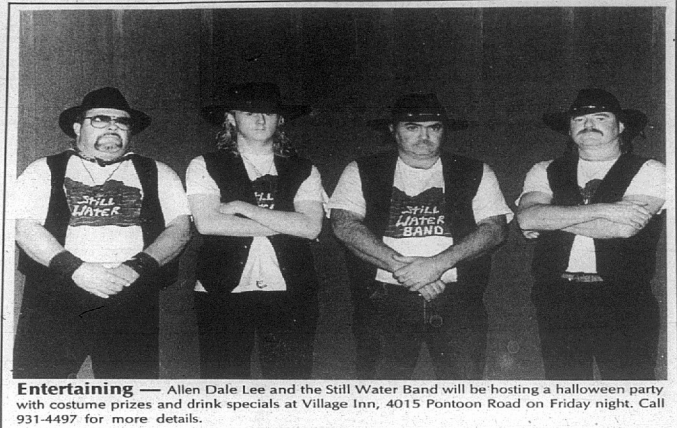
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Literary club marks 100

By Mark Hodapp
Staff writer

June Cox of Belleville was captured by the moment.

"This is a festive day here," she said. "I should say."

Last Thursday, more than 100 people attended the Thursday Literary Club's 100th anniversary party.

Cox joined the club 39 years ago.

"I was invited by a friend," she recalled.

Cox said the club serves as an inspiration to her own life and to countless others.

"Today, we are remembering — to a degree — the club's founders, the ladies of the Summit Avenue Methodist in Church in East St. Louis," she said.

According to the minutes of the club's first meeting (on Oct. 13, 1896), a report was to be given on "Man All Immortal," a 46-page book by D.W. Clark about man (theology), immortality and death.

In addition, two club members were asked to find out "why after a limb is amputated, sensibilities seem to remain."

Today, club members believe there is no "great secret" as to why their club has survived two world wars and a Great Depression. They credit each other.

"There are 35 of us and we all enjoy staying very active," said Pat West, who joined the club in 1977.

Since its inception, the club

has limited its membership to 25 and no men are allowed to join.

"Some club members have remained actively involved in the organization for 50 or more years," said Louise McDaniel, who joined the club earlier this year.

During the club's first year, weekly meetings were held in member's homes with dues at one cent.

Meetings are now held monthly in member's homes. Club dues are \$10 annually. The club donates most of its dues to the Belleville, Fairview Heights and O'Fallon public libraries.

Members are also required to abide by some strict dress codes.

"No one is allowed to wear blue jeans to club meetings," club member Pauline Woods said.

At meetings, members discuss a variety of topics, including English literature, current events, poets, composers, music, drama and history.

Dorothy Watson, a resident of O'Fallon and who has been a member of the club since 1955, called the club's 100th anniversary "quite an accomplishment."

"I'm glad just to be a part of it," she said. "There have been a lot of dedicated people to keep the club going that long and to keep the same goals."

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Sleepers (R) 1:30, 4:20, 7:15
Thinner (R) 2:30, 5:00, 7:30

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Independence Day (PG-13) 1:45, 4:45, 7:30
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High School High (PG-13) 1:00, 3:30, 5:00, 7:30
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First Wives Club (PG) 12:10, 2:40, 4:30, 7:40
Sleepers (R) 1:00, 4:05, 7:00
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 2:05, 5:15, 7:15
Get On The Bus (R) 4:40
Get On The Bus (R) (PG) 12:10, 2:30, 4:55, 7:30

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D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 1:10, 3:15, 7:10
The Chamber (R) 9:15
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 1:00, 3:15, 7:00, 9:15
High School High (PG-13) 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00

CRESTWOOD PLAZA 10

248 Crestwood Plaza, 865-8509
Fly Away Home (PG) 1:45, 5:00
Tin Cup (R) 8:10
The Glimmer Man (R) 1:50, 5:55, 8:05, 10:05
Get On The Bus (R) 1:40, 4:45, 7:20
Michael Collins (R) 1:00, 4:30, 7:35, 10:05
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 2:00, 5:00, 8:15
Entertaining Angels (PG-13) 1:55, 5:30, 8:00
Big Night (R) 1:25, 5:05, 8:20
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 1:15, 5:40, 8:30, 9:50
To Gilligan On Her 37th Birthday (PG-13) 1:30, 5:15, 7:50, 9:55
Get On The Bus (R) 1:40, 4:45, 7:20

CREVE COEUR CINE

10879 Old Olive Street Road, 822-4900
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 1:35, 7:45
The Chamber (R) 4:45
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 1:55, 4:55, 8:15
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:45, 4:35, 7:00

CROSS KEYS CINEMA

110 Cross Keys Shopping Center, Lindbergh & New Halls Ferry, 821-8899
Independence Day (PG-13) 1:55, 4:45, 7:30
Harriet The Spy (PG) 4:45
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:15, 4:45
A Time To Kill (R) 1:50, 6:30
Escape From LA (R) 8:15

DES PERES 14 CINE

Manchester & I-270, 822-4900
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 12:15, 2:30, 4:30, 7:00
The Chamber (R) 9:15
Michael Collins (R) 12:30, 4:00, 8:00
The Associate (PG-13) 12:00, 2:20, 5:00, 7:20, 9:50
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 12:50, 4:30, 8:20, 9:55
First Wives Club (PG) 12:40, 4:15, 7:45, 10:05
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:00, 4:45, 7:20, 9:55
Fly Away Home (PG) 12:10, 2:40
Get On The Bus (R) 5:05
Sleepers (R) 8:30
Sleepers (R) 1:30, 4:05, 7:30
To Gilligan On Her 37th Birthday (PG-13) 12:05, 2:15, 4:30, 7:30, 9:45
High School High (PG-13) 12:45, 2:45, 4:45, 7:40, 9:45
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:15, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
Thinner (R) 12:20, 4:30, 7:15, 9:30

EASTGATE CINE

Eastgate Plaza, E. Alton, 254-5288
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 1:30, 4:30, 7:15
The Associate (PG-13) 1:15, 4:15, 7:15
High School High (PG-13) 1:45, 4:00, 6:45
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:30, 4:15, 7:15
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 2:00, 6:00, 7:30
First Wives Club (PG) 2:45, 5:15, 7:45
The Chamber (R) 1:45, 4:15, 7:00, 9:40

COTTONWOOD EDWARDSVILLE CINEMA

Edwardsville, Ill.
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 1:30, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00
First Wives Club (PG) 1:15, 4:00, 7:00, 9:30
The Chamber (R) 1:45, 4:15, 7:00, 9:40

ESQUIRE CINE

8706 Clayton Road, 761-3300
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 1:40, 4:45, 7:15, 10:10
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 1:20, 5:20, 8:00, 10:20
High School High (PG-13) 1:30, 4:45, 7:50, 10:00
Entertaining Angels (PG-13) 2:00, 5:00
The Glimmer Man (R) 7:40, 9:50
Sleepers (R) 1:30, 4:15, 7:25, 10:30
Sleepers (R) 1:40, 5:15, 8:30
Get On The Bus (R) 1:10, 4:30, 7:10, 9:55

EUREKA 6 CINE

89 Hilltop Village Center, 822-4900
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:00, 4:35, 7:20
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 1:40, 5:00, 7:40
High School High (PG-13) 1:50, 5:20, 7:30
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 3:10, 4:40, 7:10
Thinner (R) 1:30, 5:15, 7:50
The Associate (PG-13) 1:20, 4:30, 7:00

GALLERIA 6

30 St. Louis Galleria, 721-8722
The Chamber (R) 1:40, 5:10, 7:40, 10:05
Thinner (R) 2:00, 5:40, 7:45, 9:55
The Associate (PG-13) 1:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:25, 5:20, 7:55, 10:10
Michael Collins (R) 1:10, 5:30, 8:20
To Gilligan On Her 37th Birthday (PG-13) 1:20, 5:35, 7:50, 9:50

HALLS FERRY 14 CINE

2500 Target Drive, 822-4900
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 12:25, 2:40, 5:00, 7:30
Rich Man's Wife (R) 9:45
The Glimmer Man (R) 12:30, 2:40, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30
The Associate (PG-13) 12:20, 2:40, 5:00, 7:20, 10:10
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:00, 2:15, 4:40, 7:00, 9:20
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 12:00, 2:35, 5:05, 7:25, 9:45
First Wives Club (PG) 12:30, 2:40, 5:00, 7:25, 9:50
High School High (PG-13) 12:10, 2:10, 4:15, 6:15, 8:15
High School High (PG-13) 1:10, 3:10, 5:10, 8:00, 10:00
Get On The Bus (R) 12:15, 2:45, 5:40, 8:20
Get On The Bus (R) 1:15, 4:30, 7:15, 9:50
The Chamber (R) 12:15, 2:35, 4:55, 7:25, 9:50
That Thing You Do (PG) 12:00, 2:15, 4:40, 7:10, 9:40
Sleepers (R) 1:00, 4:05, 8:15
Thinner (R) 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 7:05, 9:30

KELLER PLAZA 8 CINE

Lenox Ferry & Mehl Avenue, 822-4900
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 12:10, 2:30, 4:45, 7:20
Get On The Bus (R) 12:00, 2:35, 5:00, 7:35
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 12:05, 2:25, 4:50, 7:20
Michael Collins (PG) 1:00, 4:15, 7:30
The Glimmer Man (R) 12:40, 2:40, 5:00, 7:35
To Gilligan On Her 37th Birthday (PG-13) 12:25, 2:40, 5:10, 7:40
Fly Away Home (PG) 12:15, 2:15, 4:30, 7:15
Bulletproof (R) 12:30, 5:15
Two Days In The Valley (R) 2:50, 7:15

KENRICK 8 CINE

7505 Watson Road, 822-4900
The Associate (PG-13) 12:00, 2:15, 4:35, 7:20, 9:45
High School High (PG-13) 12:30, 2:40, 5:15, 7:45, 9:55
Thinner (R) 12:15, 2:30, 4:50, 7:30, 9:45, 9:50
Sleepers (R) 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 10:00
First Wives Club (PG) 1:15, 4:30, 7:05, 9:20
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:10, 2:25, 4:45, 7:15, 9:30

KIRKWOOD CINEMA

338 S. Kirkwood Road, 865-1161
Surviving Picasso (R) 1:30, 4:00, 6:30, 9:00
Emma (R) 2:00
Sweet Nothings (R) 4:45, 7:00, 9:05

LINCOLN THEATER

103 E. Main (Belleville), 233-0123
A Time To Kill (R) 1:30, 7:00, 9:45
Independence Day (PG-13) 1:30, 7:00, 9:45
Alaska (PG) 1:45, 7:15
Escape From LA (R) 9:30

LINDBERGH 8

7545 S. Lindbergh, 487-0017
Twister (PG-13) 1:30, 5:00, 7:35
A Time To Kill (R) 1:50, 4:30, 7:25
Independence Day (PG-13) 1:30, 7:00, 9:45
Malinda (PG) 1:05, 3:15, 5:25
Escape From LA (R) 7:25
Courage Under Fire (R) 1:45, 4:45, 7:00
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 12:15, 2:25, 4:35
The Rock (R) 7:00
The Nutty Professor (PG-13) 1:15, 3:15, 5:30, 7:45
Alaska (PG) 12:15, 2:35, 5:15
Island Of Dr. Moreau (PG-13) 7:50

MID RIVERS MALL

1220 Mid Rivers Dr., 279-2779
That Thing You Do (PG) 12:15, 2:35, 5:05, 7:35
First Wives Club (PG) 12:30, 2:50, 5:25, 7:55
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:10, 2:40, 5:10, 7:45
High School High (PG-13) 12:05, 2:45, 4:45, 7:40
Sleepers (R) 12:45, 4:15, 7:15
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30

NAMEOKI CINEMA

30 Nameoki Village, 877-8635
Fly Away Home (PG) 2:00, 6:45
Kingpin (PG-13) 2:15, 7:15

NORTHWEST PLAZA 9

Northwest Plaza Mall, 822-4900
Bulletproof (R) 1:15, 7:00
Last Man Standing (R) 4:20, 9:05
Get On The Bus (R) 1:20, 4:20, 7:00, 9:30
Get On The Bus (R) 2:00, 4:50, 7:25, 9:55

The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 1:30, 4:45, 7:15, 9:40
The Glimmer Man (R) 1:45, 5:15, 7:45, 9:50
Thinner (R) 1:40, 5:00, 7:30, 9:50
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 1:20, 4:30, 7:05, 9:40
Michael Collins (R) 1:15, 4:05, 7:00, 9:45
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 1:30, 4:30, 7:15, 9:30

NORTHWEST SQUARE 10

11150 Old St. Charles Rock Road, 281-0055
The Associate (PG-13)
The Chamber (R)
Sleepers (R)
High School High (PG-13)
High School High (PG-13)
First Kid (PG)
The Rich Man's Wife (R)
To Gilligan On Her 37th Birthday (PG-13)
That Thing You Do (PG)
Fly Away Home (PG) Check theater for times

PLAZA CINE 4

Troy, Mo., 528-2070
Fly Away Home (PG) 2:15, 4:30
The Chamber (R) 7:00
High School High (PG-13) 2:15, 4:30, 7:15
Thinner (R) 2:15, 4:30, 7:15
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 2:15, 4:30, 7:00

QUAD CINEMA

Belleville, Ill.
First Wives Club (PG) 2:00, 4:45, 7:15, 9:50
High School High (PG-13) 1:45, 4:15, 7:00, 9:15
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
Sleepers (R) 1:00, 4:30, 8:00
REGENCY SQUARE 8
1085 Regency Parkway, 846-8000
Tin Cup (R)
Long Kiss Goodnight (R)
Big Night (R)
The Glimmer Man (R)
Get On The Bus (R)
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG)
Michael Collins (R)
Extreme Measures (R) Check theater for times

RITZ 3 THEATER

403 E. Main St., Belleville, 233-3538
Independence Day (PG-13) 1:30, 8:00
A Time To Kill (R) 1:00, 7:45
Alaska (PG) 1:45, 7:00, 9:20

RONNIE'S 8 CINE

Lindbergh & Baptist Church Road, 822-4900
Thinner (R) 12:10, 2:10, 4:30, 7:10, 9:20
The Chamber (R) 12:00, 2:20, 4:40, 7:00
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:10, 2:30, 4:50, 8:10
The First Wives Club (PG) 12:30, 2:40, 5:20, 7:40
High School High (PG-13) 12:00, 2:20, 4:40, 7:10, 9:10
That Thing You Do (PG) 12:30, 2:50, 5:10, 7:30, 9:50
The Associate (PG-13) 12:20, 2:40, 5:00, 7:20, 9:40
Sleepers (R) 1:00, 5:00, 8:00

ROXANA CINE THEATER

2025 Gateway Drive, 847-1133
Independence Day (PG-13) 1:45, 4:45, 7:30
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 4:35

ST. CHARLES 10 CINE

Hwy. 94 at Prairie Road, 822-4900
That Thing You Do (PG) 12:15, 2:35, 5:05, 7:35, 10:00
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:20, 2:45, 5:15, 7:40, 10:05
To Gilligan On Her 37th Birthday (PG-13) 12:10, 2:15, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30
Fly Away Home (PG) 12:00, 2:10, 4:40
The Chamber (R) 7:15, 9:45
The Associate (PG-13) 12:00, 2:20, 4:50, 7:15, 9:50
First Wives Club (PG) 12:25, 2:40, 5:00, 7:25, 9:40
Sleepers (R) 1:10, 4:20, 7:30
Sleepers (R) 2:00, 5:30, 8:40
High School High (PG-13) 1:20, 3:25, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20
Thinner (R) 12:30, 2:40, 4:45, 7:10, 9:20
The Chamber (R) 12:15, 4:55, 7:25
The Glimmer Man (R) 2:40, 8:55
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:00, 2:15, 4:45, 7:25, 9:40
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:20, 4:20, 7:05, 9:45
The Associate (PG-13) 12:05, 2:30, 4:55, 7:30, 10:00
Sleepers (R) 1:00, 4:05, 7:00, 10:00
High School High (PG-13) 12:40, 2:50, 5:00, 7:10, 9:20
First Wives Club (PG) 12:20, 2:35, 4:50, 7:15, 9:35
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 12:10, 2:35, 5:05, 7:40, 10:15

ST. ANDREWS CINEMA

2025 Gateway Drive, 847-1133
Independence Day (PG-13) 1:45, 4:45, 7:30
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 4:35

ST. CLAIR 10

50 Ludwig Drive, 398-8383
Get On The Bus (R) 1:15, 4:15, 7:15, 9:50
Thinner (R) 12:50, 2:55, 5:05, 7:20, 9:25
The Chamber (R) 12:15, 4:55, 7:25
The Glimmer Man (R) 2:40, 8:55
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:00, 2:15, 4:45, 7:25, 9:40
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:20, 4:20, 7:05, 9:45
The Associate (PG-13) 12:05, 2:30, 4:55, 7:30, 10:00
Sleepers (R) 1:00, 4:05, 7:00, 10:00
High School High (PG-13) 12:40, 2:50, 5:00, 7:10, 9:20
First Wives Club (PG) 12:20, 2:35, 4:50, 7:15, 9:35
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 12:10, 2:35, 5:05, 7:40, 10:15

SHADY OAK CINE

Forsyth and Hanley Road, 727-2319
First Wives Club (PG) 2:30, 5:00, 7:30

VILLAGE SQUARE

100 Village Square Shopping Center, 895-1009
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WESTPORT

910 Westport Plaza, 822-4900
Big Night (R) 1:30, 5:10, 7:40, 9:50
First Wives Club (PG) 1:00, 6:00, 7:15, 9:35

Homemakers plan for International Day

The Granite City Unit of Home Extension/BC met at the Anchorage Recreational Center on Oct. 1.
The invocation was given by Mary Evalyne Yencho and a pot luck luncheon was hosted by Florence Hagnauer and Vickie Zerlan.
Mary Thebeau, unit president, opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. The Homemakers' Aim was led by Ann Konopka. The lesson "Grandparenting: Lessons and Legacies" was given by Zerlan and Hagnauer.
Roll call was taken, and there were 13 members in attendance. Zerlan won the attendance prize.
Second Vice President Hag-

nauer reported that all the dues for the coming year have been paid.

First Vice President Florence Stokes passed out new program books for the coming year. The program books were then filled out for the coming year.

Clella Schreiber reported that Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville is holding classes for adults each Wednesday afternoon.

LaNell Lessig talked about International Day, which will be starting at 10 a.m. on Oct. 28 at the Home Bureau Building in Edwardsville. The subject this year will be Wales. She briefed the members on the country and the food the club will be eating.

The November meeting will be a district meeting at Hope Lutheran Church on Thursday, Nov. 7. Trio Unit will be the hosts.

The December meeting will be the Christmas party. Time and place will be reported at the district meeting.

The January meeting will be on Tuesday, Jan. 7, and will be hosted by Lessig and Nina Dittman. The lesson on exercise for everyone will be given by Dittman and Lessig.

The Homemakers' Creed was recited, and the meeting was adjourned.

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